



Shelby County Tennessee

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Questions & Answers #3

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Random Drug Screenings for Specialty Court Participants

TO ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

The following question was submitted by a potential vendor. Our answer is listed in red below:

1. *How many participants are in each Specialty Court Program?*

Up to 300 in Drug Court, 90 in Veterans, and 35 in Mental Health Court

2. *What is the desired test frequency (E.G., 2-3x per week, 10-12x per month) for each Specialty Court Program?*

Average of 8 times per month for Drug Court. Veterans and Mental Health Court will be at their discretion.

3. *What is the County's overall budget for testing in 2016?*

There is no overall budget specifically designated for drug testing. Each court will use part of their budget as necessary for testing.

4. *Will the Court require Specialty Court participants to pay for some or all of the testing fees?*

Yes; some clients will be required to pay for testing.

5. *XII. A.2. Who is on the Ad-Hoc Committee?*

This is not yet decided.

6. ***XI. B. 2. “The package containing the original and copies must be sealed and marked with the Proposer’s name and “CONFIDENTIAL, ELECTRONIC MONITORING, RFP 16-005-78” with due date and time indicated”. Should we change “Electronic Monitoring” to “Random Drug Screenings for Specialty Court Participants”?***

Yes.

